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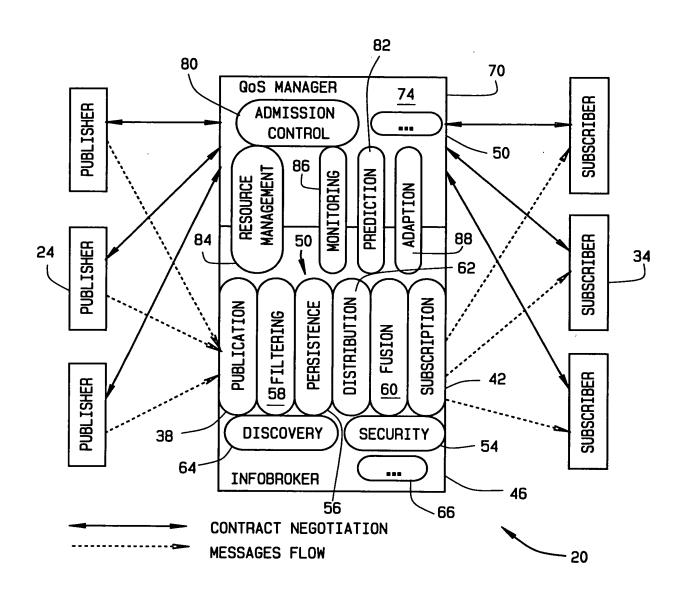


FIG. 1

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<!ELEMENT reliability (delivery?, loss-probability?, error-rate?, retry?, persistency?, criticality?) > <!ELEMENT performance (response-time?, throughput?, volume-rate?, delay?, pay-load?)>
<!ELEMENT response-time EMPTY> <!-- Quality of Service Request Message --><!-- Common Shared Attribute Definition --> <|ELEMENT qos-message (profile?, performance?, reliability?, timeliness?, security?)>
<!-- profile encodes the information regarding the requesting client and the messages --> <!ENTITY % time-unit ' unit (millisecond|second|minute|hour|day) "second"> <!-- response-time is the time spent by a single node (e.g., InfoBroker) --> <!-- from the time a publication is received to the time it is delivered --> <!ELEMENT timeliness (time-to-live?, deadline?, priofity?) > --- corresponds to the Web Service Reliability attributes ---duplication-elimination (yes/no) "no" <!-- relative to the time when the message is received --> <! ATTLIST delivery guaranteed-delivery (yes|no) "no" <! ELEMENT profile (client?, topic?, content-type\*)> <!ELEMENT security (signature?, encrybtion?) > <!-- Root Element: Quality of Service Message <!ATTLIST response-time %time-period;> <!ATTLIST time-to-live %time-period; > <!ELEMENT time-to-live EMPTY> <!ELEMENT delivery EMPTY> 104

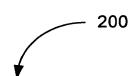
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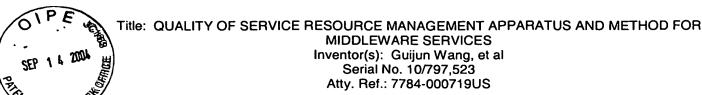
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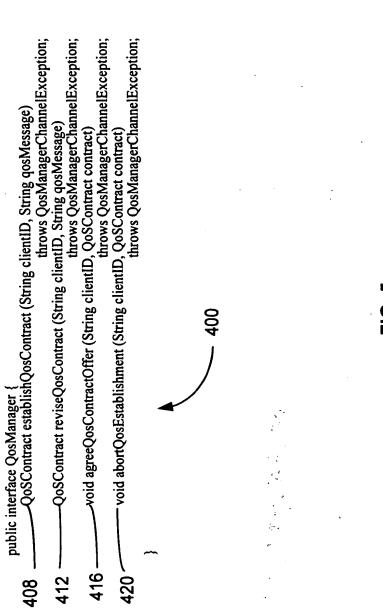


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                 ≤/performance>
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FIG. 3



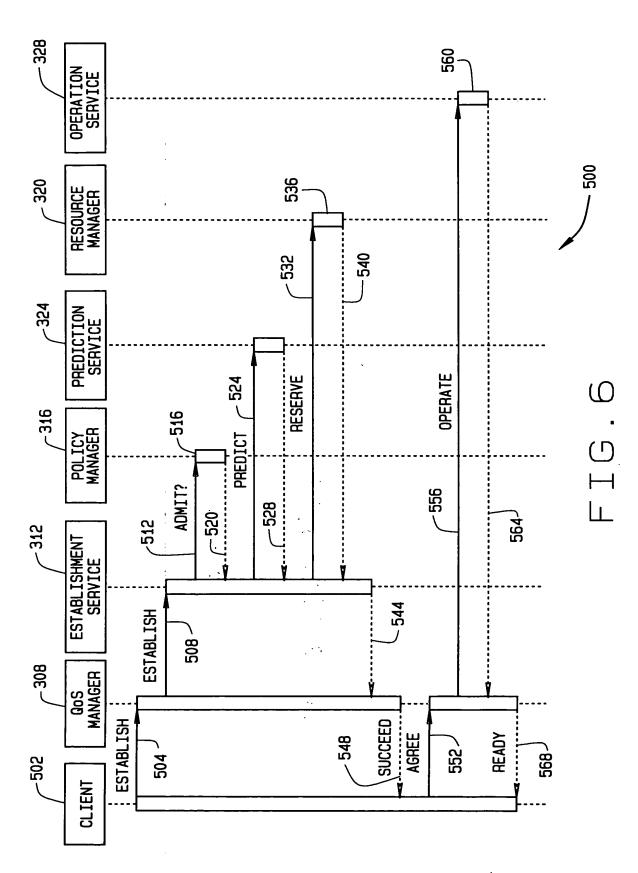
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public static Resource create(QoSContract contract, Element config, Class clazz) throws ...; public void adapt(QoSContract contract, Adaptation adaptation) throws ResourceException public void reconfigure(QoSContract contract, Element config) throws ResourceException; public void unregister(QoSContract contract, Monitor monitor) throws ResourceException public void configure(QoSContract contract, Element config) throws ResourceException; public void register(QoSContract contract, Monitor monitor) throws ResourceException public void commit(QoSContract contract) throws ResourceException public void release(QoSContract contract) throws ResourceException; public void cancel (QoSContract contract) throws Resource Exception; public void attach(QoSContract contract) throws ResourceException; public Prediction predict() throws ResourceException; public void activate() throws ResourceException; public void freeze() throws ResourceException; protected boolean sharable; public abstract class Resource **60** 620 -616 -612 -628-624 632 636 –

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